Homework 6

CMSY-199, Spring 2014

Upload your solution to the Canvas course website as a zip archive file prior to the start of class on Monday, April 28.

Please note that you are *not* allowed to use a GUI Builder such as the one in NetBeans to complete this assignment.

- 1. Write a class called KeyboardUI which is a JFrame from the javax.swing package.
- 2. Make the KeyboardUI class a Java application by adding a main method with a single line of code that creates an instance of the KeyboardUI class named keyboard.
- 3. In addition to the main method, the KeyboardUI class has a member variable of type JTextArea called screen and a no-argument constructor.



- 4. Write code in the no-argument constructor to:
 - (a) Call the constructor of the superclass with the argument "Keyboard"
 - (b) Set the resizable property to false.
 - (c) Set the default close operation to exit on close.
 - (d) Set the width to 500 pixels and the height to 300 pixels.
 - (e) Set the layout to a GridLayout with 2 rows and a single column.
 - (f) Set the editable property of screen to false.
 - (g) Set the line wrap property of screen to true.

- (h) Add the screen object.
- (i) Create a JPanel called keyboardPanel which has a GridLayout with 3 rows and a single column.
- (j) Create a 3-element array of JPanel called keyRows.
- (k) Create and add JButton objects to each row as shown in the figure above.
- (l) Set the focusable property of each JButton to false.
- (m) Add each row of keys to the keyboardPanel.
- (n) Add the keyboardPanel.
- (o) Pack the components.
- (p) Set the visible property to true.
- 5. Make the KeyboardUI class implement an ActionListener interface from the java.awt.event package.
- 6. The ActionListener interface requires that you implement a method called actionPerformed which takes an argument of type ActionEvent and has a return type of void. Write the actionPerformed method to print the letter of the JButton which the user has clicked.
- 7. Add an ActionListener to each button as it is created in the constructor.